


Boaton, Gertrude Vedder Vermilye  
[Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, NY]

1914

 My dear Mr Belden,  
Manny thanks for the  
invitation to the Hummumathic  
Society meeting this evening  
but the storm has prevented  
our coming as our boat could

not run. We were really interested  
in the War Medals as my  
husband is an army officer.

Cordially

Gertrude Hedder Vermilye Boston  
Mrs J. G. Boston  
Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook  
N. J.

Dec 11. 1914

My dear Mrs Boston:-

I was very glad to get your note  
Many thanks for your note which I was very  
glad to receive <sup>especially as it informs me</sup>  
~~which was very kind of you to~~  
~~send it to me before that you were no longer~~  
Mr. Boston is certainly most fortunate  
and, if it is not too late I would like to  
extend to him my congratulations and to wish  
you both much joy and good fortune.

The decorations and war medals  
are still here, most of them are here all the  
time, a few will be returned after the nineteenth  
of this month. Many of ~~these~~ you have seen,  
and many have come in since you were here.  
~~it is convenient~~ Should you and your husband find  
~~time~~ to drop in ~~and~~ some time before long, it  
would be a pleasure to see you and to show  
you whatever we have that ~~you~~ might find of  
interest.

Very sincerely yours



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